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CHARLESTON, IL--(March 20, 1985)--Belleville, Ill. junior Lauri Lehman is a member of the 1985 Eastern Illinois women's tennis team.

The former Belleville Althoff Catholic High School and Belleville Area College standout is Eastern's No. 1 singles player and No. 1 doubles player (along with former Belleville AC teammate Diana Durkee). She teamed with Durkee and recorded an 8-5 mark during the fall exhibition season.

Coach Gail Richard says, "Lauri and Diana have been good additions to the team. They filled an important void for us at number one and two."

Lehman was named to the all-area squad four consecutive years as a prepster. She also qualified for the state tennis tournament four times.

Lehman is majoring in accounting and finance.

EIU placed ninth in the Gateway Conference last year with a 4-8 record.